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In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 10/645,521                      On Petition

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For: **ELECTRONIC BILL PRESENTMENT WITH CENTRALIZED ACCESS TO BILL AVAILA  
INFORMATION**

In response to the petition received on March 18, 2005, to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above application.

The petition is Granted.

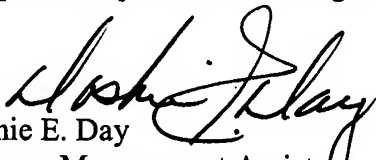
The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 C.D.R 1.113 in a timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed November 17, 2003 Which set forth a shortened statutory period for reply of two months. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned January 21, 2004.

The evidence submitted is sufficient to establish that the petitioners never received the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed November 17, 2003.

Enclosed is a new Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Papers giving counsel 2 months from the date of the notice to respond.

The application was abandoned in error. The office regrets any inconvenience this may have caused the client.

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